

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Probate Judge Baxter yesterday appointed Julia Doherty administratrix of James Doherty, deceased.

Local merchants are anxiously awaiting the opening of the railroad eastward. They are in need of a large amount of delayed goods.

Stephen Yagueira was arrested last evening by Marshal Blankenship, charged with malicious mischief. He will be tried on Monday.

A number of secret orders are contemplating removal from Pythian hall to the room recently vacated by the Gazette in the Lewis building.

The Justices' Courts these days furnish few notes of interest. Criminal business is at a standstill, and a few petty civil cases furnish the Justices their only employment.

Harry Williamson leaves today for Florence with his young stallions, Felix and Stumbling Dick. He will enter them in the running races which commence at that place about August 15.

No mail arrived from the East yesterday. It was reported at Maricopa that a through train from the East would reach that station about midnight, but the rumor was not confirmed.

A pleasant gathering of a number of the young men of the city was had last evening at the residence of D. H. Burtis. Those present were all jovial, good fellows and the time passed most merrily in feasting and song.

Barley is selling in the local market at eighty cents per bushel, with demand exceeding supply. Crops are short all over the coast, and prices are looking up. Wheat is dull; white Australian is quoted at one dollar per hundred, and Sonora at eighty-five cents.

From measurements made at the head of the Arizona canal and in the lower box of Salt river, fully 200,000 miners' inches were flowing in Salt River at one time last week. The stream is now down so as to be easily forded. Every farmer in the valley is happy over brimming ditches.

The Directors of the Maricopa County Beekeepers' Association met yesterday. A telegram was read from their agent at Chicago, stating that their first car of extracted honey had arrived in good condition, and that half the car had been at once sold for six and one-half cents per pound. The expense of shipping being \$1.15 per hundred, the price realized will be over five cents per pound net, which is a profitable figure.

The mill of the Phoenix Mine is steadily dropping its twenty stamps upon rich ore. The additional ten stamps, now being placed in position, will be started during the week. The mine is developing handsomely. Editor Rothwell, of the *Engineering and Mining Journal*, a mining engineer of the highest grade, is reported as having said that there is enough ore "in sight" in this phenomenal mine to run a 200-stamp mill for fifteen years.

A Frisco man writes to Governor Wolfley that drought and excessive rainfall are alike to be obliterated in any land that will but place its irrigation under his charge. His system, as volunarily described, seems to consist of a combination of railroads, steel magnets and high-drying birds, and the infallible result of its workings, he assures the Governor, is to bring gentle and fruitifying showers exactly at the time when desired.

PERSONAL.

Governor Wolfley left yesterday on a brief trip to Tucson.

Deputy Sheriff Morgan, of Gila Bend, is registered at the Commercial.

Dave Goldberg leaves this morning on a business trip of several weeks to San Francisco.

Tempe was yesterday represented in the metropolis by Messrs. Peters, Kingsbury, Hawkins and Jordan.

M. H. Williams and wife leave today for Castle Creek Hot Springs, where they will spend several weeks.

Dr. Garcia Del Tormel leaves Wednesday for Florence, where he will establish himself in the practice of his profession.

Ed. S. Gill, President of THE REPUBLICAN Publishing Company, returned by yesterday's train from an extensive and successful business tour of the Territory.

Jack Brown, range foreman for E. F. Kellner, will accompany Charley Meadows on his Australian trip. Jack is renowned among cowboys as an expert broncho rider.

CHURCH SERVICES.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Mojave and Jefferson streets. F. D. Rickerson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Seventh lecture on Modern Infidelity. Topic, "Popular Estimates of the Bible." All are welcome. No evening service.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, South—Corner of Monroe and Center streets. Rev. F. D. Fidler, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

ADVENTIST TABERNACLE—Center street. Services at 8 p. m. All are invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner Jefferson and Maricopa streets. No services. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

THE BELT SLIPPED.

One Reason Why Kemmler's Execution Was Not More Successful.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., August 9.—Superintendent Barnes acknowledged today that the belt that ran the dynamo which killed Kemmler was a new one and nearly slipped off the pulley at the moment of the execution. Luckily a man caught the belt with a board when it was three-quarters off, or the results would have been frightful.

THE GREAT ENCAMPMENT.

All Arrangements Are Reported To Be In Most Satisfactory Shape.

Boston, August 9.—The chairman of various committees having in charge the arrangements for the National Grand Encampment, held an important meeting tonight in connection with the Executive Committee. It was announced that nearly all details had been completed and that everything in the most satisfactory shape. It is expected that about 35,000 men will be in line.

The United States dispatch boat Dolphin, and the gun-boat Petrel, which will be present at this port during the encampment, arrived in the harbor this evening. The torpedo boat Cushing left Newport for Boston this afternoon and the Atlanta, Kearsarge, Yorktown and the Vesuvius are all expected here tomorrow.

Quick With His Gun.

SPOKANE FALLS, August 9.—A Review special from Colville says: William Jenkins arrived this morning from his ranch, sixty miles up Kittle river, and surrendered to the authorities. He stated that he had killed two men, William Daly and Benjamin Shaw, in a dispute over a horse trade. Jenkins claims to have acted in self defense. It seems that Daly slashed at Jenkins with a knife, inflicting a flesh wound across the abdomen, whereupon Jenkins went into his cabin and procured a pistol, with which he shot Daly, who fell. Shaw then started for Jenkins, but before he could reach him, the old man put four bullets into his body, killing him instantly. Daly will probably die.

ON THE CURBSTONE.

LAST Tuesday night an Eastern drummer was promenading on one of the side streets of this city. While crossing a small bridge spanning a ditch he was jostled by a stalwart native and pushed off into the water. The commercial man, who is somewhat under the average size, was wet to the knees and got his shoes full of water. He clambered out and, politely addressing the burly citizen, asked: "Is that considered the proper thing in Arizona?" "You bet!" was the gruff reply. "Then," added the little drummer, mildly, "this is the way we do in Boston;" and he hit the big fellow under the ear and knocked him into the ditch. The Yankee did not wait for further developments, but made haste to hide himself in the darkness of the night.

A CARLOAD of beans was brought to Tempe by railroad last week from California! And yet our farmers prate of hard times. This valley, as well adapted for bean culture as any other land on the globe, should be shipping trainloads of them instead of importing.

THE Sixteenth of September, the natal day of the Mexican Republic, is never forgotten by her citizens. They are already preparing for the celebration, and I think, will make it a great success.

THERE is hardly good judgment shown, in my opinion, in the selection by the brass band, of a practice room. The band boys are progressing very well, and when playing in unison make excellent music, but the good effect of a new piece is spoiled by hearing it being patiently practiced upon for several nights.

I AM glad to see the local officers so energetic in their efforts to stamp out the opium "joints" of this city. Any one acquainted with the effects of the drug can see on the public street dozens of men and depraved women on whom the enticing poison has set its unmistakable stamp. Curiously enough I have heard that many "opium fiends" are made such through the apparently harmless cigarette. Several of the more expensive varieties are said to have opium mixed with the tobacco.

THERE are several oddities in Phoenix. One of them is a secret society that holds its sessions with windows up and the interior of the lodge room open to the view of idlers upon the Mills House porch.

AN old farmer, recently arrived from Missouri, was speaking to me the other day, relative to the way a number of Salt River Valley farmers managed. "In the first place," said he, "I cannot see how they can afford to buy their meat when they can so easily raise their own pigs and steers. It is just so much waste paying a cent to the butcher. And, again, they pay fifteen cents a pound for Kansas City ham and bacon, when they could pack away their own pork in salt for less than a cent a pound. And then, too, they say there is no money in farming—that they must haul their grain to town and sell it for prices that do not pay more than the expense of raising and delivering. Why, back where I came from we never thought of selling our corn. We fed it to beef steers, bought when lean, and fattened two hogs on the leavings of each steer. When we sold those animals

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